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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Interesting Items From Various Points in the County, Reported by Our Staff of Correspondents.

ESPY.

John Hidlay is putting up a new building on his property. He proposes starting a shoe store in the future.

J. B. Robison Esq., has purchased a new bicycle, on which he expects to journey back and forth from his office of business in Bloomsburg.

Charles, son of W. B. Everett, had a narrow escape from being killed on Monday. While hanging on the side of a large wagon loaded with hay, driven by E. D. Hagenbuch, of Light Street, his hold slipped and he fell under the wagon, the wheel running partly over him. He was unconscious for some time.

Mr. J. Stookey, of Shickshinny, visited town on Tuesday.

Clyde Dewitt was in town over Sunday. M. G. Bittenbender accompanied him back to Jamison City.

Hiram Traunsue has improved the appearance of his house by giving it a new coat of paint.

Mrs. Ammerman of Jamison City, visited her sick sister, Mrs. Charles Greenwald, last week.

BERWICK.

Wm. Raugh is putting up a fine brick on Main street. Joseph Faust is doing the work.

E. J. Bowman is making a pleasant visit to Berwick.

Mr. Richard Thompson, about 84 years old, is quite ill.

Berwick has quite a war about electricity. They want to put up the lights all night long but the chances are rather slender for that just now.

Col. Seely has charge of a children's Brigae in the Baptist church. The Col. is a full fledged military man.

George Thomas Hill has purchased about 500 acres of timber and proposes to enter into the business of cutting it up soon.

Wm. Girton will soon leave Berwick and become a distiller in Hazleton. A new distillery has started up there and Wm. is to take charge of it. He is one of the best distillers in the state.

Klinetob Bros are running a successful business in the furniture line. They have a large assortment on hand fresh from New York and Philadelphia and find ready sales. Their many friends wish them piles of prosperity.

We called on H. E. Walton who is running a large picture business on Front street. He has some of the finest specimens of natural scenery that we ever saw, and command ready sale.

Among many of our acquaintances in Nescopeck, we found Williams Bros. busy selling merchandise. This is an old established firm. Milt & Bro. are doing finely, and established residenters of Nescopeck.

C. C. William is the popular proprietor of the Susquehanna House, and is running a good business.

Chas. Becker, at Berwick depot, is doing a fine business in the pottery line. He is one of Berwick's substantial citizens.

J. W. Evans has got his office in splendid shape on Main street, and running a fine Life and Property insurance business.

Crisman Bros. are doing a large flouring business at lower end; have a new branch road connecting with Bloom and Lackawanna to convey away their large trade.

Mr. Andrew Fowler, glad to note, is convalescent from a long seige of rheumatism.

Garrison Bros. are selling goods prosperously.

Hertz & Son are largely engaged in the marble business.

JERSEYTOWN.

C. Kreamer has disposed of his stable of forty head of cattle. The last were sold to the Danville State Hospital. The average weight was nearly 1,400 lbs.

J. H. Henrie has gone into the Washing machine business. He says that he sells from ten to twenty a week.

Ralph Welliver, who had the misfortune to break his arm about two weeks ago, is able to be about again.

Wm. Gingles and son Harvey, left on Tuesday morning for Bloomsburg, to engage in the mercantile business.

Lewis Kreamer and James Mordan made a flying trip to Washingtonville, on Monday eve.

Our postmaster, J. R. Converse, who has been confined to the house all winter, we are glad to see about again.

H. W. Terwilliger visited friends in and about Millville on Sunday.

H. G Ort moved last Thursday from Mrs. Ent's farm to property belonging to Mrs. Ort.

Dr. J. E. Shuman is repairing his property by re-roofing the house.

Among other improvements in our town, we notice Mrs. Carey is building a new yard and garden fence.

A. C. Heller is again employed at the station of W. W. Harry Leinbach resigned.

Samuel Johnston, from Danville, paid our town a visit on Tuesday.

John Welliver and wife, from Buckhorn, visited friends on Tuesday, and while in town Spates traded horses.

Evan Kreamer is seen wending his way toward Spruce Hill occasionally. Evan please explain.

Thomas Gingles, who is confined to his bed, we learn is not much better.

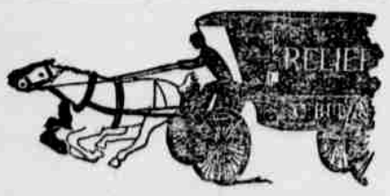
Greenly Brothers expect to finish up Mrs. Ort's timber tract this week, and then they will move their mill on their own tract about two miles above town.

The rain on Sunday has put the farmers back in oats sowing.

Frank Cotner and wife from Limestoneville visited friends here on Tuesday.

Now George Francis Train (not being able to keep in the back ground any longer when so much glory and renown is passing around) volunteers his valuable services in receiving the famous "commonwealers" now on the march to Washington from the four quarters of the Globe. George will do it up right if they give him a half a chance. He never needs more than a half a chance at anything that will bring him prominently before the public. If they make George a committee of one to receive them it might tend to make our austere states men unbend a little and give him the exclusive privilege of the floor of the Senate for a day or two. If they shouldn't call time on him we verily believe a week would be consumed in telling about the want of weal of the "commonwealers."

Speaking of woman suffrage Miss Belva Lockwood says: "It is bound to come in the natural course of events. How soon is a different matter. Three fourths of your school teachers to day in Pennsylvania are women, and if they are not fit to vote how can they teach?



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COXEY.

Danville appears to have suffered sad affliction this year in being not only the resort of considerable small-pox, measles, and Bulgarian scratchers, but the fact has come out that she is the former domicile, if not the birthplace, of the now notorious Coxey himself.

This latter disclosure was recently made to the writer by a reliable gentleman directly from Danville who had neither the Danville small-pox nor the Bulgarian scratchers.

He claimed to know all about Coxey from away back, when this illustrious nomad lived there.

From what we gathered from this personal acquaintance we are safe in saying that the more desirable atmosphere of peace seldom blows through Coxey's whiskers, and that he is generally in a peck of trouble.

If it were not for giving him away entirely we should say his Danville acquaintance pronounced him considerably more than eccentric.

But having now attained a national reputation, like the rest of our more noted statesmen and warriors, his character though public property is more likely to be defamed than lauded. This being the outgrowth of envy on the part of those who have no national popularity themselves, we cannot condescend to take any part in belittleing our more brilliant public men just out of pure envy, nor shall we commence at the general of one wing of the army-of-the unemployed-anti-tariff-reformers, bnt we simply remark that if Coxey still resided in Danville he would probably be confined in the state institution just this side of that borough.

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Hines' Happy Hit.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Representative Hines, Democrat, of Pennsylvania, has evolved a plan that he believes will speedily dispose of Coxey's army after their arrival in Washington.

He proposes introducing a bill appropriating $10,000, to be expended in improving some of the country roads in the District of Columbia.

"I will venture the prediction," said the Congressman to day, "that less than $500 of the appropriation will be expended. The army will get out of town so fast that all the rest of the money will be covered back into the Treasury. In fact, if such resolution had been passed a week ago it would have resulted before this in the disbandment not only of Coxey's forces, but all the collateral branches as well."

T. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster of Promise City, Iowa, says: 'I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure,' for Rheumatism and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." Sold by C. A. Kleim, Druggist, Bloomsburg. 11 10-8m.

COMMISSIONER'S MEETING.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners last Monday the following action was taken:

Commissioners present: J. G. Swank, G. M. Ikeler, and W. H. Utt.

Mr. Ikeler moved the adoption of the following resolution:

WHEREAS, The plans of the substructure of the county bridge at Bloomsburg, the most expensive and important public improvement in the history of the County, made and filed in the Commissioner's office by the late Commissioners with the contract for the said substructure, consisted of three blue prints, entitled, "Abutment River Bridge, Bloomsburg, Pa., South Side," "Abutment River Bridge, Bloomsburg, Pa., North Side," and "River Pier No. 1," and were simply crude outline sketches with only a few dimensions noted on them, and did not show the character of the pier and the foundations of the same, to be erected under the contract: and

WHEREAS, Mr. James C. Brown, the supervising Engineer of the said, bridge for the County, upon his attention being called by the present Commissioners to the insufficiency of the aforesaid plans, made and filed in the said office additional plans of the masonry, dated respectfully, January 10, 13, 17, 25, and 26, 1894, and which were incomplete, and did not show the location of the bridge, the position of the tops of the piers, and the character of the foundation of the same, etc.: and

WHERAS, The present Commissioners, to comply with the law in relation to the erection of county bridges, and to secure on file in their office correct and detailed plans of the piers and foundations of the same, to be erected under said contract and avoid all risk of founding the piers of said bridge upon insecure foundations, adopted the resolution of April 10th, 1894: and

WHEREAS, The said Engineer, in pursuance of said resolution, has submitted to the present Commissioners plans and elevations of said piers and coffer dam, etc., dated April 12th, 1894, except plan of coffer dam which is without date, together with an estimate cost of same, amounting to $5857.96. Therefore be it

Resolved: That the said piers and foundations of the same shall be erected according to plans of same, and plan of coffer dam, last above referred to, dated April 12th, 1894, under and subject to all the provisions and stipulations contained in the contract, between Joseph Hendler and the County and the specifications accompanying said contract.

On resolution being put it was adopted by the votes of G. M. Ikeler and J. G. Swank.

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In the old Presbyterian church of Bloomsburg, will be held a "Gospel Feast" of ten day's duration, from April 27th to May 6th, inclusive. These Pentecostal meetings will be under the leadership of Rev. Joseph H. Smith, Vice President of the National Holiness Camp-meeting Association. He will be assisted by Revs. H. N. Brown, M. D. Collins and Deacon Morse. The meetings are for saint and sinner, being revivalistic in character. Preaching every day and evening.

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